

# Software for the Identification of Cancer Biomarkers

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## BACKGROUND

## TECHNOLOGY DESCRIPTION

Software has been designed to function as a pipeline that processes public datasets and information to yield sets of differentially expressed mRNAs, which may be used as biomarkers for specific cancers. The output is also used to design isoform-specific primers for RT-qPCR analysis.

## APPLICATIONS

## ADVANTAGES

## STATE OF DEVELOPMENT

Software has been used to identify a potential set of biomarkers, which will be validated.

## INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY INFO

Copyright software available for licensure.

## RELATED MATERIALS

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## OTHER INFORMATION

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